FY 2011 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Requests

Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments, Mobilize Maine, Auburn, Maine – \$1,000,000 To support economic development strategies that will result in new entrepreneurial opportunities.

City of Caribou, Industrial Complex Remediation, Caribou, Maine – \$1,500,000 For infrastructure updates to an industrial complex.

Kennebec Valley Council of Governments, Rural Maine Employment Initiative, Fairfield, Maine – \$600,000

To provide small business counseling and promote economic development.

Midcoast Regional Redevelopment Authority, Brunswick Science and Technology Business Incubator, Brunswick, Maine – \$1,400,000

To establish a small business incubator in the targeted business sectors of aerospace and aviation, composite manufacturing technologies.

Town of Madawaska, Northern Maine Acadian Development, Madawaska, Maine – \$2,000,000

For infrastructure and business development planning.

Town of Van Buren, Van Buren Economic Development Project, Van Buren, Maine – \$950,000

To promote economic development assistance.

University of Maine, Entrepreneurship: Maine's Legacy Builds a New Economy, Orono, Maine – \$1,000,000

To develop a method for supporting rural entrepreneurship through cluster development, skill training, and mentoring.

University of Maine at Farmington, Western Maine Rural Small Business Initiative, Farmington, Maine – \$550,000

To assist small businesses and promote workforce development.

University of Southern Maine, Undergraduate Research Center: Phase Two, Portland, Maine – \$850,000

For infrastructure upgrades.

Washington Hancock Community Agency, Rural Business Energizer Program, Milbridge, Maine – \$250,000

To provide business training and development to rural entrepreneurs.